The purpose of this brief survey is to determine the level of interest in adding a Pickleball court(s) at The Cottages on Osoyoos Lake (TCOOL) as an amenity.

A small group of pickleball players at TCOOL who are currently playing on the surface located next to the pool have become aware that there is an increasing number of residents also interested in participating and to this end an ad hoc committee was formed.

What is Pickleball?

Pickleball is a fun game that is played on a badminton-sized court with the net lowered to 34 inches at the centre. It is played with a perforated plastic ball (similar to a whiffle ball) and wood or composite paddles.

 It is easy for beginners to learn, but can develop into a quick, fast-paced, competitive game for experienced players. Regardless of skill level, it develops quickness of mind, faster reflexes, and uniquely activates portions of the brain that few other sports do. It is a highly social game, bringing players into an environment where contact with others is a requisite part of the sport. Its benefits for exercise and as a social experience are unparalleled.

Pickleball BC <https://www.pickleballbc.ca/about-pickleball.html>

It is important to note that due to the size and surface of the proposed court it would also be suitable for badminton and basketball.

At this preliminary stage, we would appreciate your input to determine how or if we move forward on this potential project.

Please rate the extent to which you agree/disagree with the following statements.

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|  | Strongly Disagree | Somewhat Disagree | Neither Agree Nor Disagree | Somewhat Agree | Strongly Agree |
| Given the right circumstances I would support a Pickleball Court at TCOOL. |  |  |  |  |  |
| A Pickleball Court would increase real estate value. |  |  |  |  |  |
| Pickleball Court would take stress off the pool area. |  |  |  |  |  |
| A Pickleball Court would enhance the community experience. |  |  |  |  |  |
| Someone in my household would use the Pickleball Court. |  |  |  |  |  |